# Tim Schoof

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Education	
<b>PhD</b> in Speech Hearing and Phonetic Sciences University College London	2014
<b>MRes</b> in Speech, Language, and Cognition University College London	2011
MA in Linguistics Utrecht University	2010
<b>BA</b> in English Language and Literature University of Groningen	2007

### Research experience

Postdoctoral Fellow 2015-present

Northwestern University, Department of Communication Sciences and Disorders

Postdoctoral Fellow 2014-2015

University College London, Department of Speech Hearing and Phonetic Sciences

#### **Research Assistant**

Utrecht Institute of Linguistics / OTS

2009

#### **Publications**

- **Schoof, T.**, and Rosen, S. (2016). The role of age-related declines in subcortical auditory processing in speech perception in noise. *Journal of the Association for Research in Otolaryngology*, 1-20.
- **Schoof, T.**, and Rosen, S. (2015). High sentence predictability increases the fluctuating masker benefit. *Journal of the Acoustical Society of America*, 138, EL181.
- **Schoof, T.**, and Rosen, S. (2014). The role of auditory and cognitive factors in understanding speech in noise by normal-hearing older adults. *Frontiers in Aging Neuroscience*, 6:307.
- **Schoof, T.**, Green, T., Faulkner, A., and Rosen, S. (2013). Advantages from bilateral hearing in speech perception in noise with simulated cochlear implants and residual acoustic hearing. *Journal of the Acoustical Society of America*, 133(2), 1017 1030.

#### Selected presentations (7 of 16)

Souza, P., Shen, J., and **Schoof, T.** (2015). Does noise reduction reduce listening effort for older hearing-aid users? (talk). Aging and Speech Communication Conference, Bloomington, IN, USA.

- **Schoof, T.**, and Rosen, S. (2015). Neural origins of the Frequency Following Response to resolved and unresolved modulated tones (poster). Advances and Perspectives in Auditory Neuroscience, Chicago, IL, USA.
- **Schoof, T.**, Rosen, S., and de Cheveigné, A (2015). Rapid FFR: A new technique to rapidly collect the Frequency Following Response (poster). ARO MidWinter Meeting 2015, Baltimore, USA.
- **Schoof, T.**, and Rosen, S (2015). The role of age-related declines in subcortical auditory processing in speech perception in noise (invited talk). Seminar series of the Department of Bioengineering, Imperial College London, UK.
- **Schoof, T.** (2014). Speech ABRs in an ageing population (invited talk). APD Masterclass, Auditory processing disorders: Current science and clinical practice, University College London, London, UK.
- **Schoof, T.**, and Rosen, S (2013). The role of age-related declines in auditory and cognitive processing in understanding speech in noise (poster). Aging and Speech Communication Conference, Bloomington, IN, USA.
- **Schoof, T.**, and Rosen, S (2013). The relative contribution of declines in auditory and cognitive processing to speech perception difficulties in noise in older adults (talk). British Society of Audiology Annual Conference, Keele, UK.

# Grants and awards

- **Schoof, T.** *Isolating the informational component of speech-on-speech masking.* Knowles Postdoctoral Fellow Travel Award, Northwestern University (2016), \$1000.
- **Schoof, T.**, and Boothalingam, S. *Talk Global: Communication across borders.* Professional Development Grant, Northwestern University (2016), \$1000
- Boothalingam, S., and **Schoof, T.** *Talk Global: Communication across borders.* Catalyst Grant, Northwestern University (2016), \$500
- **Schoof, T.**, Calcus, A., and Shinn-Cunningham, B. *Workshop on the Frequency Following Response*, Intelligent Hearing Systems (2016), \$2000
- Calcus, A., **Schoof, T.**, and Shinn-Cunningham, B. *Frequency Following Response Workshop*, COMIC Award, Compnet, Boston University (2016), \$7400
- **Schoof, T.**, and Souza, P. ASHA Research mentoring-pair travel award. ASHA Convention (2015), \$1000.
- **Schoof, T.**, and Rosen, S. *Rapid FFR: developing a clinical tool for the rapid assessment of subcortical processing of complex sounds*. Pauline Ashley Small Project Grant, Action on Hearing Loss (2014), £28916
- **Schoof, T.** The role of age-related auditory and cognitive declines in understanding speech in noise. ARO Travel Award: Graduate Student/Postdoctoral Fellow, ARO (2014). \$500

- Calcus, A., Colin, C., **Schoof, T.**, and Rosen, S. *Workshop on the Frequency Following Response*. Organisation d'une reunion scientifique, Le Fonds de la Recherche Scientifique (2014), €3000
- **Schoof, T.**, Calcus, A., and Rosen, S. *Workshop on the Frequency Following Response*, Support for short meetings and conferences, Guarantors of Brain (2014), £1500
- Calcus, A., **Schoof, T.**, and Rosen, S. *Workshop on the Frequency Following Response*, Brain Products & Brain Vision UK (2014), £3000
- **Schoof, T.** The relative contribution of declines in auditory and cognitive processing to speech perception difficulties in noise in older adults. Student Scholarship. Aging and Speech Communication Conference (2013). \$1000
- **Schoof, T.** The role of subcortical encoding in accounting for speech perception in steady-state and amplitude-modulated noise. ARO Travel Award: Graduate Student/Postdoctoral Fellow, ARO (2013). \$500
- **Schoof, T.** The role of subcortical encoding in accounting for speech perception in steady-state and amplitude-modulated noise. Defeating deafness ARO travel fellowship, Deafness Research UK (2013). £500
- **Schoof, T.**, and Rosen, S. Developing expertise in the measuring and interpretation of auditory brainstem responses to speech. Flexi grant (travel grant), Action on Hearing Loss (2011). £1608

### **Teaching experience**

#### Instructor

Northwestern University

Statistical analysis in R workshop (introductory session)

2016

#### **Teaching assistant**

**University College London** 

Introduction to Event-Related Potential Technique	2015
Chandler House ERP technique bootcamp	2014
Research Design and Experimental Methods	2014
Acoustics, signals & systems for audiology	2013-2014
MSc Research Design & Statistics	2011-2013
Research Methods & Statistics II	2012
Speech Sciences: Phonetics, Acoustics and Speech Perception	2011-2012

#### Student mentorship

Northwestern University

Rachel Appleton (AuD, 2016), *Increasing the number of hearing aid channels for noise reduction: The effects on listening effort.* 

## University College London

- Dominic Pittman (MSc Speech and Language Sciences, 2014), *Using the frequency following response to investigate the basilar membrane's response to sound.*
- Hollyana Marler (BSc Speech Sciences, 2014), Do the effects of auditory attention extend down to the brainstem?
- Yang Wang (MRes Speech Language and Cognition, 2013), *The effects of attention on the frequency following response.*
- Jingwei Zhang (MSc Language Sciences, 2013), A frequency following response (FFR) investigation of auditory efferent inhibition in the brain stem: A case of fundamental frequency rise and fall in mandarin tones.

# Professional service

# **Conference organization**

Frequency Following Response Workshop, Boston, MA, USA

2016
Frequency Following Response Workshop, London, UK

2014

#### Committee member

Northwestern University Postdoctoral Forum, International Committee 2015-present

# **Public engagement**

Royal Institution, London, UK

2015

"Good listeners and smooth talkers: Spoken communication in a challenging world", EEG demonstration

Royal Society Summer Exhibition, London, UK "Speaking and Listening in a Noisy World", EEG demonstration

2011

### Ad-hoc reviewer

The Journal of the Acoustical Society of America, Frontiers in Aging Neuroscience, Ear and Hearing, PLOS ONE, International Journal of Audiology, American Journal of Audiology, Heliyon